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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

1893-4
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File No. 239

Serial Nos.

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SUBJECT.

Levying a small fee on cattle & brought for sale during the Car festival at Tirumala, Nagadi Taluk

PREVIOUS REFERENCES	LATER REFERENCES.

MUZRAI DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE NOTE.

SUBJECT:— Levy of a small fee on Cattle to be brought for sale during the car festival at Sirumale, Anegondi Taluk

LAST REFERENCE.

Letter No. 543 dated 25th November 1902 from the Dy Commissioner Bangalore District.

1890-4

In June 1894, Mr. Coothusami Naidu, the then Anegondi Assistant Commissioner of the Bangalore District, (a) brought to the notice of the Dy Commr. that (1000) pairs of bullocks had been brought for sale during the car festival of Sri Ranganathaswamy at-

(a) In his memo dated 1st June 1894.

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at Tirumala, Nagpadi Taluk, during that year, in addition to 500 pairs used for carts carrying provisions &c, but that no tax was levied thereon. He therefore recommended that, as in the case of the Jatra of the Sri Ghanta Lakshmanaswamy ~~at~~ in the Dandakallapur Taluk, fees might be levied at Tirumala also. The Dy Commissioner (Mr. Shujaat Ali) supported the recommendations in his Letter No 212 dated 16th August 1894, to the address of the late Inspector General of Police, as the latter had not given

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x Flag B

given a reply, a reminder was received from the Dy Commissioner in May 1895, on which Mr Cunningham Charles recorded the following order: — x

" The tax will be
" oppressive. I shall
" however dispose
" of the question after
" personal inspection.
" File for the present."

Thus, the matter was dropped for about 7 years.

2. In March 1902, the Dy Commissioner (Mr M. S. Narayan Rao) again recommended the levy of a small fee at one annas for grown up Cattle

Letter no 1015 dated 6th March 1902
Henry D

x Dated nil.
Henry C.

Note The fee has not been found oppressive in the 4 or 5 localities in which it has been imposed. The fee has been cheerfully paid — LL 30/6/04

and half-an-anna for
young ones. He at the
same time recommended
the levy of a similar
fee on each side of shop,
observing that the collections
thus made be utilized
for the benefit of the
temple, saying also that similar
arrangements as are in force
in the Ghats Subramanyam-
-Swami Temple be adopted.

3 With reference to the
above, it was enquired
whether the cattle owners
and traders were willing
to pay for the benefit of
the temple the fee that might
be so imposed and where
the cattle were picketted
and

and the shops were held and whether, in the case of the lands belonging to the private parties being used for the purpose, they had any objection to the same.

4 In reply, the Dy Commissioner (Mr Sparkes) states,(b) that the owners of cattle and traders are reported to be willing to pay the tax to the temple; and that as the cattle are picketted on the Devadaya Service Inam lands of the temple, none can raise any objection; and that shops are held in the public streets around

(b) In his letter No 543 dated 24th November 1902.

around the temple, which
belongs to Government.

5. From the Vernacular papers
submitted by the Dy
Commissioner, it is
observed that the Jatra
takes place for 10 days
in the month of Vaisakh every
year; that when the proposed
levy of ~~tax~~ fee was intimated by the Authorities
to the cattle owners and
traders, they assembled
during the last year's
Jatra, they all willingly
expressed their Consent
to pay the same for the
benefit of the temple;
that during the last year
2 or 3 thousand bullocks
have been brought for sale;
and that a small fee
could that ~~tax~~ is now

being limited on the shops, which has only to be legalised by Govt.

6 A list of the places where similar lines are made under the sanction of Government is hereto appended and a draft order is also submitted for approval.

Submitted

RS

8/12/02

Subd to the Dewan

"

Cash Subsidy – 872-10-0 a year
Free Lands – 720-7-11 do per year

There is a temple of some importance in the Bangalore Dt which has a large number of servants ~~and the income is small.~~ depending upon it.

As cattle are already brought for sale during the car festival and there is no temple waste land in the Engagement of a Shanik,

11207
27.03.

I think a small fee upon each head of cattle may fairly be collected in the Interests of the temple as is done in several other places as shown in the accompanying book. The Cattle owners have objected, ~~that~~ the object to pay this fee — The Value of the proceeding at the Chitradurga Dharma Kshetra may be enquired — Draft cited

CK
30/6/03

The Patwari has entered his objn on the draft

CK 4/7/03

Note contd

Orders as directed above were issued.

Regarding paras 5 and 6 of Govt Pro:

No. 53-4 dated 8th July 1903, (under cover
MuxF 124-94

No. S. 792 d: 3.3.04. The Deputy Commissioner has submitted a statement shewing the temporary Establishment* required for Collection duty during the Jatra at a cost of Rs 20/- and has enclosed also a statement shewing the rate of mamool rents collected on each shop of different kinds.

Submitted with a draft.

Ds
7/3/04

* 2 mutsaddis for 7 days at Rs 7 each - 14
2 peons do — 3 " - 6
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Secretary's remarks

The small temporary Establishment asked for may be sanctioned, the cost being met from the expected Jatra Collections. The rates for shops received with the Deputy Commissioner's letter are stated to be — mamul rates and it would appear that they are being actually collected at the Jatra of this temple; They may therefore be approved.

A draft is submitted for approval

Sent to the Dean

7/3/04

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List of the Jaatras during a small fee is levied on cattle a shops for the benefit of the Temple

Place	Govt. order
1) Gate Sri Subramanyaswami Temple in the Doddballapur Taluk	Pro: No C2105 dt 21st March 1887

Rate at 2 annas per head of bulls, oxen or Cow & at One anna — " — of calves

(2)	Sri RamaDevaru Temple at Chunchanhatte, Yedatore Taluk (Rates as above)	Pro: No 908-9 dt 6/6/93
(3)	Bhoga Nandeswaraswami Temple at Nandi, Chikballapur Taluk (Rates as above)	No 460-2 dt 14/2/93
(4)	Sri Venkataramanaswami Temple at Chick Tirupati, Malur Taluk (Rates as above)	No 989-90 dt 23-3-94
(5)	Muduthuttaraya ~~mallikarjuna~~ mallikarjunaswamy temple (Rates as above)	No 613-7 dt 24/4/88

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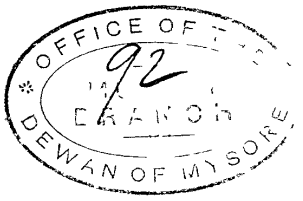

From The Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District.

To The Secretary
to the Dewan of Mysore
Muzarai Department.

Dated 16th August 1894.

Despatched 16

Received 20.8.94

Enclosures No. 2

General No.
D. No. 212.

In forwarding herewith report dt. 20. 99 dated 20th May last from the Amildar, Magadi Taluk together with a Memo has the honor to request that orders may be passed regarding the levy of a tax on bullocks and calves that may assemble from the next car festival

the same be 1396 9/7/1894

I have received at Fernandina in Nassau Sub K.

M. [illegible]

For Deputy Commissioner.

Memo:

In the Car festival of Rangawada-
= swami at Magadi held this year,
there were collected for sale 1000 pairs
of bullocks. Also there were 500 pairs
used for carts having carried
provisions: No tax is levied on these
at present. In the Subramanya
Ghati Jatra at Doddaballapur
a fee of annas 2 is levied on a bullock
and 1 anna on a Calf. Similarly as a
source of income to the Temple, the
acting Amildar proposes to impose
a tax on those that may be collected
from next year.

As the income may be
utilized for the improvements of the Temple.
the Muzarai Sanction may be addressed
to sanction the proposal.

1-6-94. /Sd/ B. Coothpusawmi Iyengar
Asst Comr
Bangalore Dt.

Copy —
Manager
for Dy: Commissioner

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Gen. Serial No. 31.]

1894-95.

From The Dy Commissioner
Bangalore Dist

To

The Secretary to the Govt
~~Person~~ of Mysore.

Dated Mazrai Department.

Despatched 17th May 1895.

Received 18/5

Enclosures—No. 5.

General No.

D No. 1398

As requested in this Office No. 212 dated 18th August 1894, has the honor to solicit orders regarding the levy of tax on bullocks and calves that may assemble during the Car festival of the Sree Ranganathaswamy's temple in the Magady Taluk.

2. Amildar's report No. 75 with its enclosures are enclosed for reference.

A Narasimaiyangar
for Dy Commissioner

WRG

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18/5/95

This tax was before some time known I should dispose of by question after hearing both parties - File for present

a1

(b)

Mr. Manmohan Singh

31/3/95

1705

In the car festival of Ranganath swami at Nagar held this year, there were collected for sale 1000 pairs of bullocks. Also there were 500 pairs used for carts having carried provisions. No tax is levied on these at present. In the Subramanya & Kati festivals at Old Ballapur a fee of 2 annas is levied on a bullock and 1 anna on a calf. Similarly as a source of income to the Temple the acting Amildar proposes to impose a tax on those that may be collected from next year.

As the income may be utilized for the improvements of the Temple the Nagara Sloka may be addressed to sanction the proposal.

1-6-96 Submitted B Govindaswamy

1901/02

FROM The Dy Commissioner
Bangalore District

To The Dy Secy to the
Govt of Mysore
Mugrai Dept

Dated 5th
Despatched 6th } March 1902

Received

General No.

D No. 1111

Enclosure No. 3.

Requesting Sanction of Govt for the levy of tax on each head of cattle and one rupee per day of a shop during the car festival of Sree Renganatha swamy at Trimmah near Magadi.

6-3-02
596

Please put up immediately

10/3/02

Vide no 642 dt 20/9/02

Dept 1015
9-3

Deputy Commissioners Office
Bangalore, dated
5th March 1902.

From

M. S. Narayana Rao Esquire
Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District

To

Srinivasa Rao Esquire
Deputy Secretary to the Govt of Mysore
Revenue Department

Sir,

I have the honor to state that the annual Car festival of Shri Lakshmanaswami at Chikkapet near Nagadi Cattle Fair for five days commencing from Narayandasi in the Sudha half of the month of Pushya every year, and that during these five days a fair is held in which a large quantity of merchandise for sale are sold to every description. The principal of Nagadi purposes that a tax, viz. for grown up cattle ½ anna for young ones, on each head of cattle sold or exchanged at the fair may be levied and

and the Collection thus made to be placed to the credit of the Temple. The proposed arrangement is a good one and I beg to recommend it for sanction. A similar arrangement is in force in Taluk Subramanya in the Kadur Ballapur Taluk. The vernacular papers on the subject are, herewith, submitted.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

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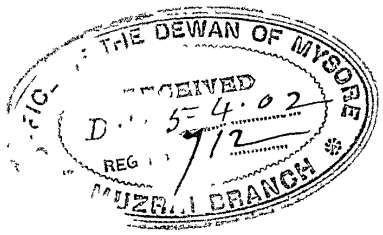
Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore

1901/02



From The Dy Commissioner Bangalore District

To The Dy Secy to the Govt of Mysore Muzrai Department

Dated 4th
Despatched 5th } April 1902

Received

General No.

No. 1116.

Enclosure No.

This Office letter No 1015 of the 6th March 1902.

Requesting early disposal in the matter of the levy of tax on the cattle brought for sale at Tirumale Magadi during the Car festival of Sri Ranganatha Swami

Rec'd 4-10 pm 5/4/02

Submit

5/4/02

Please put up papers with orders

5/4/02

Vide no 642 dt 20/9/02

DRe 1116.

Bangalore District
H. Commissioner's Office
Bangalore 4th April 1902.

From,

M. S. Aravamuthu Rao Esqr

By Commissioner
Bangalore District

To,

L. Anantasam Rao Esqr

By Secy to the Govt
of Mysore
Mulrai Department

Sir,

I have the honour to request that, early orders may be passed on this Office letter No 1015 of the 6th March 1902, sanctioning the levy of the tax on the cattle brought for

for sale at Tirumale, Magadi Taluk

during the Car festival of Sri Ranganatha

swami, as the Jatra Comes off in the 2nd

week of the month.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obedient servant,

[illegible]

Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District.

MUZRAI

1901

From

THE SECRETARY TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

To

The Dy Commr
Bangalore Dt.

Dated 30th Sept 1902.

Despatched

Received

General No. 642
Muzrai F. No. 124-92

Enclosure No. 3

His letter no. 1116 dy 4th April 1902 requesting orders in the matter of the levy of tax on the cattle brought for sale at Tirumale, Magadi, during the Car festival of Sri Ranganathaswami.

With reference to the above, ~~the Dy Commr~~ has been requested ~~is requested~~ to enquire

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~~and report~~ whether the
cattle owners and traders
~~for the benefit of the temple~~
are willing to pay the fee,
that may be imposed on
the cattle brought for sale,
~~for the benefit of the~~
~~temple~~ ~~The Dy Commr~~ The Dy Comm^r is also requested
~~will also~~ to report as to
where the cattle are
picketed and the shops
are held - whether
on lands belonging ~~to~~
the temple ^ ~~On receipt~~
~~of information on the~~
~~foregoing, final orders~~
~~will be passed~~

or on lands, belonging to private parties, and in the case of the latter whether they have no objection to the cattle being so picketted ~~and~~ or the shops held on their lands

2. Enclosures are retd. for ref^ce & re-sub^n

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29/9/22

Dy Secy

1902/03

FROM The Dy Commissr
Bangalore District.

To The Dy Secy to the Govt
of Mysore
Rev: Inam Deptt

Dated 24th
Despatched 25th } Nov 1902

Received

General No.

D No. 543.

Enclosure No. Vakeels

Dy Secy's docket No. 642/124-92 of
30th Sept 1902.

States that the Cattle owners and traders are willing to pay the tax levied for the benefit of Ranganatha swami temple at Tirumale in the Magadi Taluk.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYS
RECEIVED
Date 25-11-02
REG. No 414
MUZRAI BRANCH

Read
25/11/02

Ltc

Please continue the
Office note

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26/11/02

D No 543
Sur V: Kaln

Bangalore District
Dy. Commissioner's Office
Bangalore 24th November 1902

From,

H. H. Sparkes Esq
Dy. Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

To,

L Anantarami Rao Esq BA
Dy Secy to the Govt
of Mysore
Mysore Depth.

Sir,

With reference to your docket No. 642/124-02 dated 30th September 1902, enquiring whether the cattle owners and traders are willing to pay the tax levied to the benefit of the temple of Ranganatha Swami at Tirumale in the Magadi Taluk, I have the honor to state that it is reported

That

that the owners of cattle and traders are willing to pay the tax to the temple.

As the cattle are picketted in the Devadays Service Inam lands of the temple, none can raise any objection. The shops are held in the public Streets around the temple which belong to Government.

The Vernacular papers bearing on the subject are also enclosed for reference and return.

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Read:—

Correspondence ending with Letter no 543 dated 25th November 1902, from the Dy Commissioner, Bangalore District—, Soliciting sanction to the levy of a small fee on cattle brought for sale during the Car festival of the Sri Ranganatha-swami at Sirumale, Magadi Taluk, as well as the levy of a similar fee on each site occupied by shops that are hired during the festival

order:—

No 534 Ex 1 file
Manjf 124-92 Dt 8/7/03-

Since 1894, successive

Dy Commissioners have

been reporting Head-

during the festival of the

Sri Ranganathaswami

at Srirangam, Mayavaram

Taluk, which generally

takes place for 10 days

in the month of Chitra

every year, a large

number of cattle are brought for sale, and stand on temple land

Head extensive trade is carried on. In temporary shops opened during the festival. They

have all recommended

the levy of a small fee

on every head of cattle,

similar to the rates

obtaining in the festival

of

of the Sri Ghanta Lakshmi-
-narayanaswami swamy
Temple in the
Dandakaranyam Estate.

The present Dy Commr
Mr Sparkes, further
states that the cattle
owners and traders
are willing to pay the
proposed fee to the temple
and that the cattle
are picketted ~~overnight~~
on the Service Inam
lands belonging to the
temple.

2 Under these circumstances
the Government are pleased
to sanction the levy
of the small fee as
recommended

by the Dy Commissioner the same rates as are sanctioned for the Ghatta Subramanya-swami Temple in the Dandakulathpur Taluk, being adopted in the Tirumala temple also viz two annas on every head of bullocks, (or cows) and one anna each on calves.

3. The Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Chenpet Range ~~Taluk Division~~ should be directed to personally visit the temple at the Jatra season and make proper arrangements for the Collection.

4 The amount of fees thus Collected should be credited

to the temple funds - The Assistant Commissioner should also clearly explain to the cattle owners and traders in cattle that the amount collected ~~should~~ would be spent solely for the benefit of the temple

5 The Dy Commissioner is requested to submit details of the temporary Establishment required during the festival season for the purposes of this Collection work.

6 With regard to the levy of a similar fee on shops, it is reported that such fees are being levied for the past few years. Further orders will be issued

issue ~~legalizing the same~~,
on receipt of the information
from the Dy Commissioner
at what rates ~~on~~ the fees
are now being levied on
the
different kinds of shops -

Dy Secretary
Municipal Department

8/12/02

To

The Dy Commissioner,
Bangalore District,
returning the Vor: records
" Comptroller to issue
fresh of assessment -

Sent to the Secretary
for a/c 30/4/03

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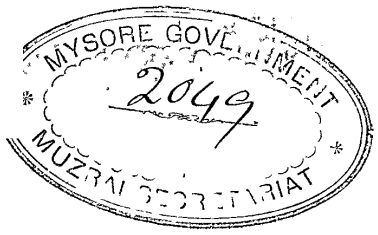
Issue 4/7/03



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From The Senior Asst Commr in Charge of Bangalore Dt

To The Dy Secretary to the Govt of Mysore Muzrai Dept

Dated 3rd March

Despatched 4th

Received

General No.

S. No. 792

Enclosure No. One

Govt Pro: No 53-4 Muz 7124-94 of 8th July 1903

Submits statement regarding the temporary establishment required for the Collection Duty during the Jatra of the Sri Ranganatha Swami temple at Tirumale Mafy, Hatti Post [illegible]

3-20 P.M.

4/3/04

Nr. 792
Mine

Bangalore Dr.
Dy Commissioners Office
Bangalore 3rd March 1904

From,

M Mahomiah Chetty Esqr B.A.
Senior Assistant in
Charge of the Bangalore Dr.

To,

L Anantasami Rao Esqr B.A.
Dy Secr to the Govt
of Mysore
Mysore Depr.

Sir,

With reference to para 5 of Government Proceedings Nr. 53-54 Mis 7. 124-94 dated 8th July 1903, regarding the Temporary establishment required for the Collection Duty during

2 Muhsoddies for 7 days
2 Peons — do — do — Rs 3½

During the Jatra of Sri Ranganatha Swamy Temple at Tirumale, Malavalli Taluk I have the honor to submit in the margin a statement showing the number of hands to be entertained and the cost thereof.

2. A statement received from the Amildar showing the rate of Mamool rents collected in each shop of different kinds is submitted for the orders of Government.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

[signature]

Mysore Dept

Read:

Govt Pro: No 53-4 mwz F124-92 dated 8th July 1903 sanctioning the levy of a small fee on cattle brought for sale during the car festival of the Sri Ranganathaswami temple at Tirumale, Maga di Taluk, and calling for details of the temporary establishment required during the Jatra season, for the collection duty, as well as a statement shewing the rates at which the fees were hitherto being levied on the different kinds of shops set up during the occasion.

And,

Letter No. S. 792 dated 3rd March 1904 from the

Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, submitting a statement.

Order thereon: Nil

No. 2856-7 dt 14.3.04 &c,
Mem. F. 124-92

The entertainment of 2 mutsaddis and 2 peons for a period of 7 days during the Jatra, on a pay of Rs 7 for each mutsaddi and of Rs 3 for each peon, on account of the collection duty, is sanctioned as recommended by the Deputy Commissioner, the charge being met from the Jatra collections. The levy of the mamool rates of fees on the different kinds of shops as per Kanarese statement submitted by the Deputy Commissioner thereto attached,

is also approved.

2. All the collections should, in the first instance, be credited to the funds of the Institution, the expenditure authorised above being incurred therefrom on a separate, duly vouchered by the Deputy Commissioner.

3. The amount of collections realized and the fact of its having been credited into the Treasury in the name of the Temple, should be intimated to this office.

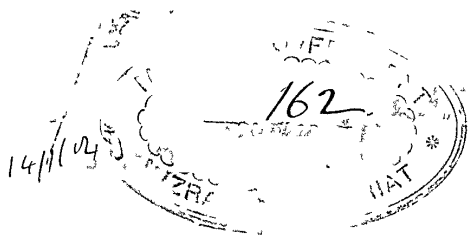
Secretary.

9.3.04

3/04

To 7/3/04

The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore
Secretary to the Govt.
" Comptroller to the Govt. of
H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.



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From

The Dy. Commissioner
Tuticorin Div.

To

The Secretary to the
Govt. of Madras
Revenue Dept.

Dated 13.

Despatched 16. July 1904

Received

General No.

M. S. No. 1

Enclosure No.

Govt. Pro. No. 2856-7 Ft
14. March 1904

Reports the collections
realised during the Jatra
- Sri Ramanathaswami
uple at Tiruvadi
paid talak in March 1904.

Submit with a draft
recording the letter

ks
17/04

2 pcs

Rc. S. No. 1

Bangalore District
Dy Commissioner's Office
Bangalore, 13 July 1904

From

D. Devaraj Urs Esquire
Dy. Commissioner
Bangalore District.

To

L. Anantasawmi Rao Esq. B.A.
Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore
Muzrai Department.

Sir,

With reference to para 3 of Govt. Proceedings No. 2856-7 dated the 14th March 1904 calling for report the collections realized during the Jatra in March 1904 of Sri Runganathaswami temple at Sirunale in the Magadi Taluk, I have the honor to state that Rs. 797-4-5 was realized during the Jatra as detailed in the margin. The amount is credited in the Savings bank of the Taluk Treasury in the name of the temple.

Your most obedient servant

D Devarajurs
Dy. Commr.
13/7/04

Rs. as. p.
187-0-3
547-7-0
47-13-2
15-0-0

Total 797-4-5

Deduct the cost of repairs etc 3.15.6

793-4-11

Muzrai

Read :-

Letter No. M. S. 1 Dy. 13th July 1904, from the Dy: Commr., Bangalore Dt., reporting that a sum of Rs 797.4.5 was realized during the Jatra held in March 1904, of the Sri Sri Ranganathaswami temple at Magadi and stating that the amount has been credited ~~in the Savings Bank of the Taluk Treasury~~ to the funds in the of the Instn.

Order thereon No. 447-8 Dy 25/7/04
Mung: 7.20124/92
Recorded.

To,
The Dy: Commr.
Bangalore Dt
Comptroller
Mysore Govt

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1901

From

THE SECRETARY TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

To

Dated

Despatched

Received

General No.
Muzrai F. No.

Enclosure No.

MGCPB—11-1-1901—1500